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The Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Re:

U.S. Utility Patent Application

Serial No. (to be assigned); Filed: (herewith)

Our Ref: 1411.0210000

Sir:

The following documents are forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

1. U.S. Patent Application entitled:

Helical Scan Transport For Single Reel Tape Cartridge

and naming as inventors:

David T. Hoge William C. Dodt John C. Owens

the application comprising:

14 pages of Specification;4 pages of Claims;a 1-page Abstract; and11 sheets of informal drawings;

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- 2. Form PTO-1082 (In duplicate);
- 3. An original executed Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- 4. Form PTO-1595 (In duplicate);
- 5. An original executed Assignment to Storage Technology Corporation, recordation of which is hereby respectfully requested;
- 6. An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS);
- 7. Form PTO-1449 with accompanying references;
- 8. Three (3) return post cards; and
- 9. Our check no. <u>11533</u> for \$750.00 to cover:

\$710.00 Filing Fee for Patent Application; \$ 40.00 Assignment recordation fee;

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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| Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventors: David T. Hoge, William C. Dodt and John C. Owens For: Helical Scan Transport For Single Reel Tape Cartridge | | | | | | | ٠, | | | |
| Enclosed are: ☑11 sheets of drawings. □ An assignment of the invention toStorage Technology Corporation | | | | | | | | | | |
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